

TWO SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS

OF

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"THREAD AND STUFF"

Regional Craft Centre, Jews Court, Steep Hill, Lincoln

"A STITCH IN TIME"

Museum of Lincolnshire Life, Burton Road, Lincoln

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REGIONAL CRAFT CENTRE, JEWS COURT, APRIL 2 - MAY 83

This exhibition has been set up in consultation with Mary Farmer, one of the country's best known weavers, now a resident in Lincolnshire. It is hoped to show the best examples of contemporary weaving and tapestry. Mary Farmer herself will be exhibiting some of her own work, the emphasis being on colour, special images and scale. She is a tutor in tapestry at the Royal College of Art, and a visiting lecturer at West Surrey College of Art and Design. She has work in many collections including H.R.H. The Duke of Edinburgh, and has exhibited widely in this country, Europe and the U.S.A.

Another Lincolnshire resident who will be showing her work is Jeanette Killner, who at one time held a fellowship in weaving with Lincolnshire & Humberside Arts.

Other work on show will include rugs by Roger Oates and Peter Collingwood, who is reserving two pieces especially for this show from an order of 55 rugs for the U.S.A.! Another exhibitor, Margaret Bristow is currently working on a weaving for Lincoln Cathedral, which will eventually form a canopy to hang over a new wooden structure placed on St. Hugh's shrine.

There will also be a chance to see garments, as well as rugs and wall hangings. Geraldine St.Aubyn Hubbard specialises in scarves and jackets woven in silk, cashmere and wool, the fabric being mixed or used separately depending on requirements.

The work will be either made specially for this show or will be borrowed from collections throughout Britain; The Dovecote Studios in Edinburgh, who will be loaning work by Gratham Sutherland, Elizabeth Blackadder, Tom Phillips, Maureen Hodge and hopefully work by Argie Brennan; the Crafts Council and various private collections.

It is hoped that all the work will be accompanied by biographical details, statements and photographs of the many exhibitors, and during the run of the exhibition it is

hoped to arrange the occasional lecture, which will be well publicised in the local press and on Radio Lincolnshire, so keep your eyes and ears open for news of these talks.

It is impossible to go into detail about each exhibitor in this brochure, but the whole list of exhibitors is as follows: Anna Cady, Marta Rogoyska, Fiona Mathison, Margaret Bristow, Dovecote Studios, Roger Oates, Jeanette Killner, Wendy Jones, Geraldine St.Aubyn Hubbard, Peter Collingwood, Mary Farmer and Ingun Skigholt. So do come along to Jews Court and see for yourselves what is going on in the contemporary weaving and tapestry world.

REGIONAL CRAFT CENTRE, JEWS COURT, STEEP HILL, LINCOLN
Telephone 0522 33247

Open: 10.00 to 5.30 Tuesday to Friday
9.30 to 5.30 Saturday

Closed: Sunday and Monday (closed 5 April, 3 May & 31 May)

MUSEUM OF LINCOLNSHIRE LIFE
Burton Road, Lincoln
Telephone 0522 28448

Open: Monday - Saturday 10.00 am - 5.30 pm
Sunday 2.00 pm - 5.30 pm

Admission: Adults 25p Children 10p

Evening Visits by arrangement

Special Admission Charge for Crafternoon
Adults 50p Children 25p

Party Visits are welcome both during the Exhibition and for Crafternoon but please book in advance